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#### **AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 30, 2005, applicants submit the following amendments and remarks.

Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows.

### IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 177-198 and substitute new claims 199-212. This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

199. (New) A system for clearing a paper negotiable instrument based upon an electronic representation of the instrument comprising:

a capture station including an imaging device adapted to capture an electronic image of the paper negotiable instrument, wherein the paper negotiable instrument has at least one information field containing transaction data; means for recognizing the at least one field within the image captured; wherein the capture station further includes: 1) means for extracting transaction data from the image captured into at least one data file;